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<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/734,490	<b>Applicant(s)</b> ZDEBLICK ET AL.	
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Date of Interview: 10 December 2007.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: all.

Identification of prior art discussed: Edwards.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: discussed limiting the claims to recite the order of the steps and that the surface being penetrated was the same surface that the effector was mounted on. The examiner indicated that it would overcome the anticipation rejection, but that further consideration and/or an update search would be required.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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